Chapter 4

List of Preparers

This list of preparers contains those people who have been involved in preparing the Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS). Please refer to the Supplement and Revised Supplement to the Draft EIS for those people involved in the past. Many others who were involved in reviewing documents, updating the database, or verifying information were important to the process, but were not directly involved in conducting the analysis or writing the document, and are not listed here.

The three Forest Supervisors for the Tongass National Forest are the responsible officials for preparing the Forest Plan and FEIS, and they provided the overall leadership throughout the process. They are:

Gary Morrison, Chatham Area Abigail Kimbell, Stikine Area Bradley Powell, Ketchikan Area

Beth A. Giron Pendleton

TLMP Co-Team Leader

Contributions made

Responsible for the public participation and coordination of activities leading to the Revision of the Tongass National Forest Land Management Plan.

Education

B.S. Wildlife Biology, University of Vermont

M.S. Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences, South Dakota State University

M.A. Journalism and Communications, University of Wyoming

Forest Service: 6 years

TLMP Co-team leader, 1995-present

Planning Staff Manager, Wildlife, Fish, and Rare Plants Staff, Forest Service National Headquarters, 1992-1995

Program and Partnership Manager, Wildlife, Fish, and Rare Plants Staff, Forest Service National Headquarters, 1991-1992

Steven Kessler

TLMP Co-Team Manager, Assistant IDT Leader, Fish Biologist

Contributions made

Member of Leadership Team managing the Revision process

Member of the Fish Habitat Analysis Team of the Alaska Anadromous Fish Habitat Assessment

Summarized fish habitat situation on the Tongass, and evaluated consequences of the alternatives on fish. Participated in the development of the Forest-wide GIS database. Coordinated development of Land Use Prescriptions, Forest-wide Standards and Guidelines, and Monitoring Plan. Managed public scoping database, and analyzed public comments.

Education

B.S. Biological Sciences, University of Arizona, 1974

M.S. Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, University of Arizona, 1978

Forest Service: 16 years

TLMP Co-Team Manager, 9/95-present

Assistant TLMP Co-Team Manager and Fish Biologist 1994-1995

Assistant TLMP Leader and Fish Biologist 1992-1994

Fish Biologist, Tongass NF, Tongass Forest Plan Revision Interdisciplinary Team, Juneau, Alaska, 1987-1992

Forest Fish Biologist, Wenatchee National Forest, 4 years

Fish Biologist, Tongass National Forest, Chatham Area, Juneau Ranger District, Yakutat Work Center. 2 years

Fish Biologist, Tongass National Forest, Chatham Area SO, 1 year

Other relevant employment

Planner, Alaska Department of Fish and Game, FRED Division (on IPA assignment from Forest Service to ADF&G), 1982

Fish Technician, USDI, Bureau of Land Management, Boise, Idaho, Summer 1979 Hydrology Technician, USDI Bureau of Land Management, Worland, Wyoming, Summer 1978

Research and Teaching Assistant, University of Arizona, 1975-1978 Instructor, Pima Community College, Tucson, Arizona, 1977-79

Robert C. Aiken

Transportation Planner

Contributions made

Coordinated transportation and facilities input, including log haul costs, future road density estimates, log transfer facility inventory, and facility needs

Education

B.S. Forest Engineering, Oregon State University, 1980

Forest Service: 15 years

Transportation Planner, Tongass National Forest, Stikine Area, 1984-present Forester, Siuslaw National Forest, 1980-84

Other relevant employment

Cooperative Education Student, Siuslaw National Forest, 2 years Forestry Aid, Siskiyou National Forest, 2 seasons

Debbie Anderson

TLMP Secretary

Contributions made

Word processing Planning Record/Datalib entry

Education

B.S. Occupational Therapy, University of Kansas, 1969 M.A. Elementary Education, UAS-Juneau, 1990

Forest Service: 7.5 years

Secretary, TLMP Revision IDT, Sept. 1991 to present

Secretary, Forestry Sciences Lab, Juneau

Clerk, Personnel and Planning Units, Regional Office, Juneau, AK

David Arrasmith

Economist/Analyst, Planning Staff Officer, Ketchikan Area

Contributions made

Socioeconomic analysis

Coordination of TLMP planning with the Ketchikan Area

FORPLAN analysis

Education

B.S. Agricultural Economics, University of California Davis, 1981

Forest Service: 13 years

Planning Staff Officer, Ketchikan Area, 3 years Spotted Owl EIS Team, Portland, Or., 1 year Economist/Analyst Alaska Region, 2 years

Economist/Sociologist Eldorado National Forest, 7 years

John T. Autrey

Archaeologist

Contributions made

Heritage Resource Management

Education

A.B. Major: Anthropology, Minor: Geography, University of Northern Colorado,

3/10/1973

A.M. Major: Social Science: Anthropology, University of Northern Colorado, 12/8/1973

Forest Service: 12 years

Ketchikan Area, Tongass National Forest, Area Archaeologist, 1987-Present

Kaibab National Forest, Assistant Forest Archaeologist, 3 years

Chatham Area, Tongass National Forest, Archaeological Technician, 2 years

James F. Baichtal

Forest Geologist

Contributions made

Blue River Lava Flow and North Prince of Wales and Dall Island Karst Special Areas and Standard and Guidelines for Cave Resource Management.

Education

Associate Science Degree, LCC, Longview, WA, 1977

Bachelor of Science in Geology, Washington State University, 1980

Master of Science in Geology, Washington State University, 1982 Thesis topic:

Geology of Waldron, Bare, and Skipjack Islands, San Juan County, Washington.

Forest Service: 8 years

Forest Geologist, Ketchikan Area, Tongass National Forest, July 1990-Present

Cave resources in Central Oregon on the Deschutes National Forest.

Member, National Speleological Society and the Glacier Grotto in Alaska.

Resource Geologist, Umpqua NF, Roseburg, OR, 2.5 years

Engineering Geologist, Ochoco NF, Prineville, OR, 3.5+ years

Engineering Geologist, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Ft. Worth, TX, 1.5 years Physical Science Aid, Snoqualmie NF, Naches, WA, summers of 1978/79.

Instructor, Geology, Local Community Colleges.

Instructor, geology field camp, two summers for Paleontology Lab, Washington State University

Detail White Sands Missile Range for 6 weeks in 1986 to the COE to head up a large drilling foundation investigation.

Detailed to the Wallowa-Whitman NF for 2 weeks in 1987 to head Forest personnel with rock source management and foundation design for a boat landing in Hells Canyon.

Other relevant employment

Operated a Geologic Consulting business in and around Roseburg, Oregon.

Michael Condon

Planning Staff Officer, Stikine Area

Contributions made

Coordination of TLMP planning with the Stikine Area

Education

B.S. Business Administration/Economics Graduate study in Forestry and Business Administration

Forest Service: 21 years
Fire Management
Land Management Planning

John Day

FORPLAN Analyst

Contributions made

FORPLAN modeling FORPLAN analysis

Education

B.S. Forest Management, Colorado State University

M.S. Operations Research/Forestry, Colorado State University

Forest Service: 7.5 years

FORPLAN analyst, TLMP Revision IDT, 5.5 years

TM/LMP Systems Section, Washington Office (Detached), Ft. Collins, Colorado, 2 years

Eugene J. DeGayner

Wildlife Biologist/Resource Information Manager

Contributions made

Wildlife analysis

Coordinate GIS activities

Oversee the development of a forest-wide data base for the Revision

Education

B.S. Wildlife Biology, University of Minnesota, 1980

M.S. Wildlife Biology, University of Minnesota, 1982

Forest Service: 10 years

Regional Wildlife Ecologist, 1995-present

Forest Wildlife Biologist, Tongass NF, Stikine Area, 9/92 to 1995 Wildlife Biologist, Tongass National Forest, Ketchikan Area, 6 years

Ronald L. Dunlap

Fish Biologist

Contributions made

Fisheries Analysis

Education

B.S. Fish and Wildlife Management, Michigan State University

M.S. Biology, Michigan Technological University

Forest Service: 17 years

Fish Biologist, TLMP Revision

Assistant Regional Fisheries Program Manager, Alaska Region

Forest Fish Biologist, Huron-Manistee NF Forest Fish Biologist, George Washington NF District Biologist, Kenton Ranger District, Ottawa NF

Pamela J. Finney

Public Affairs Specialist

Contributions made

Develop, implement, and evaluate two-way strategic communication programs that inform and involve people, including groups, government agencies, and all interested public in the Tongass Land Management Plan. Serve as Media specialist for team. Produce public information on the planning process, decision-making, and effects of alternative management activities.

Education

B.S. Forestry and Communication, Oregon State University, 1974

Forest Service: 19 years

Public Affairs Specialist, TLMP team 1995-present

Public Affairs Specialist, National Headquarters of Forest Service 1991-1995

Public Affairs Specialist, Alaska Regional Office 1988-1991 Visitor Center Director, Juneau Ranger District 1985-1988

Interpreter/Information Specialist, Juneau Ranger District 1981-1985 Public Information Officer, Mt. Hood National Forest, Oregon 1979-1980

Forest Interpreter, Alaska Region 4 years

Gary Fisher

Resource Information Manager

Contributions made

GIS analysis and map production

Education

B.S. Forest Management, Northern Arizona University M.S. Forest Information Systems, University of Minnesota

Forest Service: 4.5 years

Other relevant employment

Private industry timber scaler and cruiser, 3.5 years Independent forestry contractor/consultant, 3 years

Rick Griffen

Resource Information Manager - GIS

Contributions made

Maintenance of the TLMP information database Systems Manager for the RISC-based computer system GIS database management and analysis

Education

B.S., M.S. Wildlife Management; Humboldt State University, 1983

Forest Service: 10 years

TLMP Revision IDT, 1989 - present

Sitka Supervisor's Office, Tongass NF, 1.5 years Hoonah Ranger District, Tongass NF, .5 year

Paul E. Hennon

Forest Pathologist

Contributions made

Prepared sections on forest health

Education

Ph.D. Botany and Plant Pathology Department, Oregon State University

Forest Service: 16 years

Investigating yellow-cedar decline

Ecology and management of heart rots and dwarf mistletoe

Lynn L. Humphrey

Recreation Planner

Contributions made

Recreation and Tourism Analysis Roadless Area Analysis Wild and Scenic Rivers Analysis

Education

B.S. Forest Biology, Colorado State University, 1979

Forest Service: 16 years

Recreation Planner, Tongass NF, 1992-present Lands, Minerals, Timber, Recreation Specialist, Juneau Ranger District, 1986-1991 Computer Programmer Analyst, Alaska Regional Office, 1984-1986 Computer Programmer, Southern Forest Experiment Station, 1981-1984 Inventory Forester, Southern Forest Experiment Station, 1979-1981

Chris Iverson

Wildlife Ecologist

Contributions made

Wildlife and Viability Issues including: Coordinated species assessments and workshops Facilitated Viability panel assessments Prepared wildlife resource analyses

Education

B.S. Biology (minor chemistry), Central Michigan University, 1977 M.S. Wildlife Ecology, Oklahoma State University, 1981

Relevant Work Experience

Wildlife Ecologist, Tongass Land Management Planning Team, 1995-present Regional Ecology Program Leader, 1992-Present Forest Wildlife Biologist, Stikine Area, Tongass National Forest, 1989-1991 Nongame and Endangered Species Coordinator, Indiana Dept. of Natural Resources, 1981-1988

John Morrell

Lands Specialist

Contributions made

Lands analysis
Law enforcement input

Education

B.S. Forestry, University of Montana, Missoula, 1967M.S. Forestry, California State University, Humboldt, 1976Master of Forest Resources, University of Washington, 1977

Forest Service: 17 years

Lands Forester, Tongass NF, Chatham Area, 7 years Resource Assistant, Thorne Bay RD, 2 years Resource Assistant, North Prince of Wales RD, 2 years Forester/Recreation Assistant, Packwood RD, 2 years Forester, Packwood RD, 1 year Forestry Technician, Packwood RD, 3 months

Other relevant employment

Research Assistant, University of Washington/PNW Experiment Station, 1.5 years Recreation Technician, BLM, Ukiah, CA, 3 months

Bruce Rene

Natural Resource Planner

Contributions made

Provide guidance on and facilitate: 1) the documentation of the National Forest Management Act planning process, and 2) the analysis and documentation required by the National Environmental Policy Act

Education

B.A., Humanities, Shimer College 1967M.A., English, University of Kentucky, 1970MBA, Business Administration, University of Texas, 1976

Forest Service: 17 years

Documents Coordinator, 5 years

Assistant Forest Planner & Environmental Coordinator, Stanislaus NF, 11 years

Julie Schaefers

Economist/GIS analyst

Contributions made

Coordination of the Socio-economic affected environment and effects analysis GIS analysis for recreation, roadless, visuals and publication of the map packet.

Education

B.S. Forest Recreation Resources, Oregon State University, 1989.

M.S. Agriculture and Resource Economics, Colorado State University, 1994.

Forest Service: 8 years

TLMP Economist and GIS analyst Cooperative Education Student on Willamette NF Various Ranger District assignments

John C. Sherrod

Planning Staff Officer, Chatham Area

Contributions made

Coordination of the TLMP planning with the Chatham Area Task force for development of the Forest Monitoring Plan Assisted IDT in formulating procedures and processes. Assisted in conducting public hearings and open-houses

Education

B.S. Forestry, University of Georgia, 1960

M.S. Forest Resources, University of Idaho, 1980

Forest Service: 33 years

Planning Staff Officer on the Tongass, Chugach, and Helena National Forests, 17 years

Planning Team Leader on the Willamette, Gallatin, and Custer National Forests, 6 years

Ranger District assignments on four Districts on the Custer and Colville National Forests, 10 years

John Short

Forest Landscape Architect, Ketchikan Area

Contributions made

Scenery affected environment and effects analysis

Directed and helped implement recreation place, recreation site, and trail inventory, and directed its input into ARC/INFO data base.

Implemented visual resource inventory for Ketchikan Area and directed its input into ARC/INFO data base.

Assisted in developing Roadless inventory and Roadless Area descriptions.

Assisted in revising Roadless chapter for supplemental draft.

Education

B.S., Journalism, minor in Landscape Architecture, Cornell University, 1967 M.L.A, Landscape Architecture, Cornell University, 1975

Forest Service: 15 years

Forest Landscape Architect, Ketchikan Area. Involved in visual resource management, timber sale planning, visual and recreation inventories, recreation planning, recreation site planning, accessibility coordination.

Other relevant employment

Landscape architect, City Planning Department, Ithaca, NY, 1975, 6 months

Annette Untalasco

Computer Specialist

Contributions made

Formatting and editing of document

Education

B.S. Environmental Health, 1975

Work experience

various clerical/administrative

Carole Lee Walk

Administrative Assistant for Research

Contributions made

Administrative support

Education

B.S., Education, Drake University

Forest Service 6 years

Administrative Assistant, TLMP Revision Business Management Assistant, Juneau Ranger District Secretary, Washington Office

Bill Wilson

Timber Planner

Contributions made Timber analysis

Education

B.S. Forestry, McNeese State University, 1968

Forest Service: 26 Years

Group Leader, Silviculture, Inventory, and Plans, Alaska Region Revision IDT Member, Tongass National Forest, (1987-5/89) Regional Office Timber Planner, Alaska Region, 8 years

District and Supervisors Office Timber Assistant, Lincoln NF, 3 years

District Timber Assistant, Kiabab NF, 1 year

Supervisors Office Timber Assistant, Prescott NF, 4 years Inventory Forester, Southern Forest Experiment Station, 3 years

Forestry Aid, Mt. Hood NF, 1 year

The following individuals with the Forest Service Pacific Northwest Research Station did not actually prepare the document, but located, assembled, analyzed, and interpreted scientific information that was made available for use in the Forest Plan and FEIS.

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TLMP Co-Policy Group Leader

Contributions made

Co-lead Policy Group Fisheries Analysis

Education

B.S. and M.S. Fisheries Science, Humboldt State University Ph.D. Forest Sciences (fisheries specialty), University of Idaho, 1969

Forest Service

Pacific Northwest Research Station, 1977-present Siskiyou National Forest, 1972-1977

Doug Swanston

TLMP Co-Team Leader

Contributions made

Co-managed science team Karst and cave analysis

Education

Ph.D. Michigan State University

Forest Service

Team Leader for Watershed Management Research in coastal Alaska, Pacific Northwest Research Station

Research Geologist, Pacific Northwest Research Station. Dr. Swanston has over 70 publications to his credit relating to landslide problems and land management concerns.

Charles G. "Terry" Shaw III TLMP Co-Team Manager for Research

Contributions made

Manage science input to the Revision, including assessments and panels. Will be responsible for publication of science documents

Education

B.S. Forestry, Washington State University, 1970 Ph.D. Plant Pathology, Oregon State University, 1974

Forest Service

Research Plant Pathologist for Pacific Northwest Research Station, 1977-1986
Project Leader for Rocky Mountain Research Station project on Pest Impact
Assessment Technology. This project was west-wide in the Forest Service and provided input on how to best incorporate information on pest impact into forest plans. Dr. Shaw has some 50 published papers dealing with forest conditions in Southeast Alaska.

Stewart Allen

Research Social Scientist

Contributions made

Socioeconomic analysis.

Education

B.A. Psychology and Journalism, University of Utah, 1976

M.A. Social and Environmental Psychology, Claremont Graduate School, 1978

Ph.D. Forestry, University of Montana, 1980

Work Experience

Research Social Scientist, Forest Service, 1994-present

Private consultant, 1985-1994

Assistant Professor, University of Idaho, 1986-1988

Montana Department of Natural Resources & Conservation, 1980-1984

John Caouette

Statistician

Contributions made

Participated in the development of a statistically defensible TIMTYP map.

Education

B.S. Mathematics, University of Minnesota, 1987

M.S. Applied Mathematics and Statistics, University of Minnesota, Duluth, 1994

Forest Service, 2 years

Statistician, Forestry Sciences Lab, 1 year.

Forestry Technician, Forestry Sciences Lab, 1 year.

Other relevant employment

Research Assistant, Natural Resources Research Institute, Duluth, Minnesota, 1 year

Kent Julin

Research Forest Ecologist

Contributions made

TIMTYP map

Forested Wetlands

Monitoring Plan

Education

B.S. Forest Resources Management, Humboldt State University, 1981.

M.S. Forest Ecology, University of Washington, 1981.

Ph.D. Forest Ecology, University of Washington, 1988.

Forest Service

Research Forest Ecologist, PNW Station, 1995 - present

Forestry Aide, Shasta NF, 1979-1980

Forestry Technician, Klamath NF, 1978

Other relevant work experience

Senior Environmental Scientist, Harding Lawson Associates, 1989-1995

Research/teaching assistant, College of Forest Resources, University of Washington, 1984-1988.

Guy C. Robertson

Economist

Contributions made

Analysis of economic outputs associated with Tongass National Forest resource dependent industries (timber, recreation, commercial fishing and mining)

Economic impact analysis of alternative upon employment and income in S.E. Alaska. Economic efficiency analysis of alternatives using net present value accounting

Education

Currently enrolled, College of Forest Resources Ph.D. program in Forest Economics, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington (9/92-present).

Monbusho (Japan Ministry of Education) Scholar, Department of Forestry, Tokyo University of Agriculture and Technology, Tokyo, Japan. (1/92-8/92).

Japan Regional M.A. Program, Jackson School of International Studies, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington (9/88-4/91). MA degree received June 1991.

Carleton College, Northfield, Minnesota. Bachelor of Arts degree in philosophy received June 1983.

Forest Service: 1 year

Research Economist, PNW Research Station, Seattle Lab, USDA Forest Service (10/95-present).

Research Economist, PNW Research Station, Seattle Lab, USDA Forest Service (6/95-9/95).

Research Assistant, Center for International Trade in Forest Products (CINTRAFOR), College of Forest Resources, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington (9/92-6/94, 9/94-6/95).

Assistant Economic Analyst, PNW Research Station, Seattle Lab, USDA Forest Service (6/94-9/94).

Other relevant employment

Occasional Consulting for the Japan Wood Products Research Center, Seattle Office (3/95-present).

Researcher/Translator, Comline International News Service, Tokyo, Japan (6/91-8/92 [1/92-8/92 half-time]).

English Instructor, CECIL International, Kokura, Japan (7/85-8/88).

Other Federal Agency personnel assigned to TLMP team.

Chris Meade

Environmental Scientist, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

Contributions made

Environmental review, fish habitat and water quality, Monitoring and Evaluation Plan

Education

Forestry major, Paul Smiths College, 1979-81 B.S. in Natural Resources Management, University of Alaska-Fairbanks, 1981-85 Master of Public Administration, University of Alaska-Anchorage, 1986-87

Relevant Work Experience

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1990-present U.S. Peace Corps, Sapo National Park, Liberia, 1987-89

Richard Enriquez

Fish and Wildlife Biologist, USDI Fish and Wildlife Service

Contributions made

Environmental review and comment.

Education

B.S. Fish and Wildlife Conservation, New Mexico State University, 1974 M.A. Secondary and Adult Education - Biology, University of New Mexico, 1988

Relevant Work Experience

USDI Fish and Wildlife Service, 1983-present Forest Service, Wildlife Biologist, 1977-1983 Bureau of Land Management, Wildlife Biologist, 1974-1977